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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re

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Tatsuo TANIGUCHI, Masanori NEGORO,

Masashi NISHIKADO, Ken MATSUOKA,

and Hideo HOTOMI

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PRODUCING

A DISPLAY PANEL, METHOD FOR

ADHERING AN ADHESIVE SHEET AND

METHOD FOR ADHERING PLATES

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COMPLETION OF APPLICATION

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indicating that the Declaration filed with the above-identified U.S. patent application was unexecuted.

Applicants submit herewith the Declaration executed by the Applicants on April 6, 2001, April 6, 2001, April 6, 2001, April 6, 2001, April 18, 2001, April 6, 2001, and April 11, 2001, respectively.

The executed Declaration identifies the Specification by title, filing date, inventors, and attorney docket number.

A Request for Correction of Filing Receipt is being filed concurrently herewith.

Further to the conversation with Ms. Stokes of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, due to the file being separated into two parts, resulting in two separate serial numbers, 09/821,174, showing a filing date of March 29, 2001, and 09/821,709, showing a filing date of March 30, 2001, separate Notices to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated May 25, 2001, were received by our office. Both Notices to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application are being submitted herewith. It is respectfully requested that the contents 09/821,709 of be incorporated into the file 09/821,174, as the U.S. Serial No. 09/821,174 and the filing date of March 29, 2001 were accorded the present application as evidenced by copies of the postcard receipts attached hereto.

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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